



# ON THE LEVEL



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CORNERSTONE LODGE No. 19

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## Minutes of the Regular Communication of Cornerstone No. 19 October 16, 2008

24 Members and 9 Visitors signed the Register.

Lodge was Tyled at 5:13 p.m. by Worshipful Master Jim Carswell.

**Notice** – The portion of the notice calling the meeting was read.

Names and other information of Brothers Darnell Bass and David Parish to be raised to the sublime Degree of a Master Mason were read from the Notice.

Visiting Grand Lodge Officers and visiting Masters were invited to the East. DDGM Roy Zurowski was greeted and accorded Grand Honours 7 times, and invited to the East.

Lodge was lowered to the Fellowcraft Degree and Brothers Bass and Parish were invited into the Lodge to prove up as Fellowcrafts. Both Brothers were accepted as fulfilling the requirements to be raised.

Lodge was raised to the Master Mason Degree and Brothers Darnell Bass and David Parish were raised to the sublime Degree of a Master Mason.

Lodge went to refreshment to allow everyone to partake in a meal prepared for the evening.

Lodge returned to labour at 7:30 and the meeting resumed with a welcome of Visitors. DDGM Glenn Battad from Phoenix District, Bow River No. 1, Nanton George No. 59, Canada No. 65, Forestburg No. 128, and Renfrew No 134

The second part of the M. M. Degree was performed

**Sickness and Distress** – Peter Wilson and Gordon Read sent their regrets for not attending with hope to be with us in the near future. Malcolm Berry sent his regrets for not attending noting that the chemo therapy he is required to undergo tires him very much. No. 17, Corinthian No 22, King George No. 59, Canada No. 65, Forestburg No. 128, and Renfrew No 134

### Minutes cont.

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**Minutes** – Approved and signed by the three principal officers. A copy is on the Secretary's desk for review by members.

**Correspondence** – Letter from Grand Lodge about problems encountered, and an excerpt from the forthcoming Grand Lodge Proceedings. Other items were reviewed at the G. P. Meeting.

**Bills and Accounts** – All bills and accounts are within budget. A list of accounts is on the secretary's desk. Copies of the financial statements are also their.

**Reading of Petitions** – None.

**Report of Committee on Petitions** – None.

**Balloting** – None

**Committee Reports** – Bro Senior Warden summarized the General Purposes Meeting minutes.

Bro Junior Warden advised there would be a ceilidh on Nov. 1. Ladies Night will be held Dec. 1. On New Years Eve we will have a welcoming party at the hall.

There will be a review of degrees for our newest members next month.

Temple Board had no report

Web Site had no report

**Unfinished Business** – None

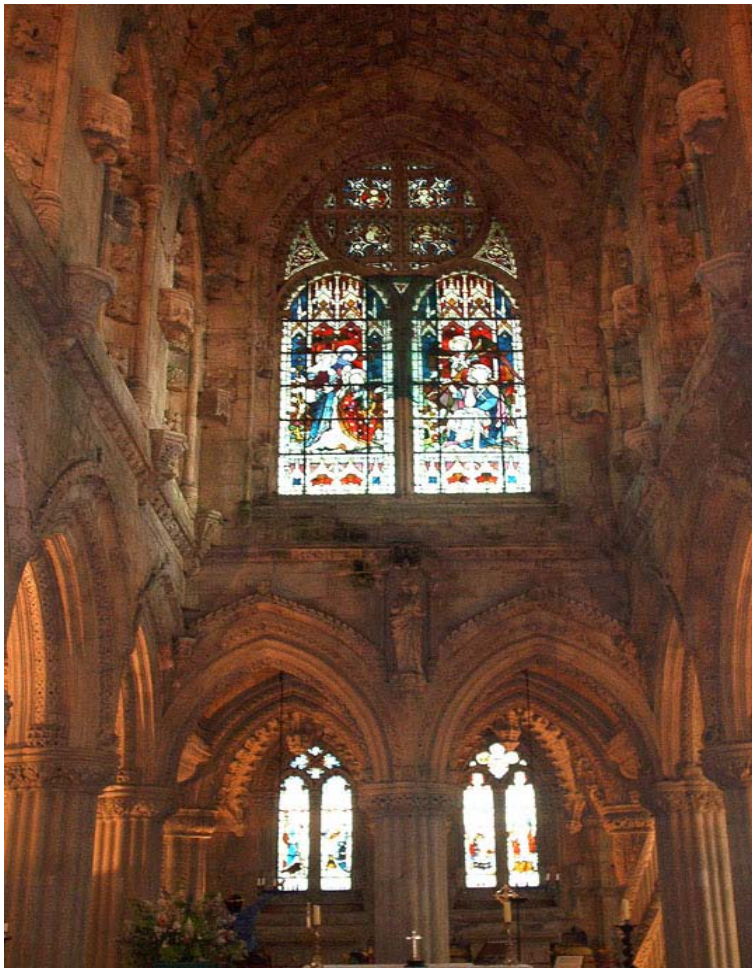
**New Business** – Brother Jim Humble has prepared some education material to be supplied to new members. To hold these items and the upcoming revised By Laws we should have a proper binder. Moved by Brother Jim Humble, "Cornerstone purchase binders with our Seal embossed on the front, and paper to print the papers on at an estimated cost of \$800.00. Seconded by Brother Glen Springsteel. Carried.

**Good of Masonry** – General Purposed Meeting November 15, 9:00 a.m. in the dining room.

Nov. 5 Granite Lodge No. 127 will have an official visit from DDGM Roy Zurowski.

Zetland Step up Night on November 6.

Worshipful Master Jim Carswell closed the Lodge in Harmony at 10:13.



*Interior of Rssslin Chaple*



*Exterior of Rssslin Chaple*

## Rosslyn Chapel

The so-called Rosslyn Chapel is in fact a reconstruction based on the foundations of Herod's Temple and the imagery of the Nasorean description of thr New Jerusalem, built in the fifteenth century to house the Nasorean scrolls. It is covered with Templar, Masonic and Celtic carvings but has no Christian imagery.

The interior of Rossly6n has many carvings which can be seen to have been inspired by the same imagery as found on Lambert's 'Heavenly Jerusalem'. The Masonic Square and Compasses can also be clearly seen in the design of Lambert's 'Heavenly Jerusalem'.

## From The Historical Register

### 100 Years Ago

**Nov. 1908**

The following were elected to office for 1909: H.E. Bedingfield, WM; G.D. Stanley, SW; and Wm. Smith, JW; R.A. Wallace, Treasurer; J.S. Hunt, Secretary and Thos. Baird, Tyler.

### 50 Years Ago

**Nov. 1958**

Regular communication. Attendance: 25.

### 25 Years Ago

**Nov. 1983**

Demit granted to VW Bro. Don Christies who has moved to Salmon Arm. Attendance: 21 members and 3 visitors.

## ★ Upcoming Events ★

**GP meeting - 9:00 am Sat. Nov. 15/08**

**Regular Meeting -Thurs. Nov. 20/08**